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LITTLETON, N. H.  
THE COURIER PRINTING COMPANY  
1920



# Town Officers

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## MODERATOR

C. A. Young

## CLERK

Cecil P. Bowles

## TREASURER

Clayton M. Glover

## SELECTMEN

Willard W. Brooks

Perry Ball

Napoleon John

## SUPERVISORS

George S. Judd

O. W. Noyes

## HEALTH OFFICER

E. M. Cooley

## BOARD OF EDUCATION

Katherine L. Bowles

L. M. Dodge

Sadie N. Glover

## LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Cecil P. Bowles

Albert P. Lane

Fred H. Bowles

## HIGHWAY AGENTS

W. D. Brooks

Tilden Day

## POLICE OFFICER

W. P. Ball

# **Town Meeting Warrant**

**March 9, 1920**

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Article 1. To choose all necessary officers for the year ensuing.

Article 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

Article 3. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road from Albert Lane's house to Beech Hill.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road from Sheldon Whitcomb's house to the Cooley Place.

## Inventory of April, 1919

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Improved and unimproved land and buildings	\$ 136,975 00
84 horses	11,250 00
2 mules	200 00
14 oxen	1,700 00
124 cows	8,283 00
68 neat stock	4,620 00
16 sheep	177 00
Automobiles and carriages	3,335 00
Portable mills	1,380 00
Wood and lumber	3,850 00
Stock in National banks	2,000 00
Money on hand and at interest	3,120 00
Stock in trade	20,600 00
Value of stock in public funds	3,354 00

### TAX ASSESSED

Resident tax	\$3,012 77
57 polls taxes	171 00

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Total tax committed to collector	\$3,183 77
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Tax rate, \$1.50 per \$100.00 valuation



## List of Appropriations

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Town officers	\$ 313 32
Schools	1,104 00
State tax	1,100 00
County tax	367 26
Library	20 00
District superintendent's salary	36 00
Extra school money, to pay deficit	300 00

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Total	\$3,240 58
Improvements on schoolhouse	\$275 00

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Total	\$3,515 58
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### ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$ 310 28
Uncollected tax	11 77
Due from County, on Henry Hughes	5 00

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Total	\$327 05
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### LIABILITIES

Note to O. E. Judd	\$ 700 00
Extra school money to pay deficit	300 00
Assessment for superintendent's salary	36 00
Repairs, and cement banking for schoolhouse	205 38
Dog licenses, due school treasury	40 50

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Total	\$1,281 88
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Liabilities above assets	\$954 83
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## Treasurer's Report

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Cash in treasury February 1, 1919	\$ 499 54
Received of Town clerk, dog licenses	40 50
Total	<u>\$540 04</u>

### EXPENDITURES

On six orders	\$ 186 86
On school orders	353 18
Total	<u>\$540 04</u>

Money in Littleton bank, \$700.00, with accrued interest

D. J. WHITCHER, Treasurer.  
(Resigned office July 10, 1919.)

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CLAYTON M. GLOVER, TREASURER

(By Appointment, July, 1919)

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### RECEIPTS

Of G. S. Judd, collector	\$ 3,172 00
Money from bank with interest	746 19
O. E. Judd, loaned to town	700 00
Savings bank tax	302 43
Highway money from State	988 98
National Forest reserve fund distribution	55 40
Of Town clerk, automobile permits	13 05
Total	<u>\$5,978 05</u>
Summary of payments	<u>\$5,667 77</u>
Balance	\$310 28



## PAID BY TREASURERS

State tax	\$ 1,100 00
County tax	367 26
School money	1,104 00
Library	20 00
Improvements in schoolhouse	275 00
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Total	\$2,866 26

## OFFICERS' SALARIES

C. M. Glover, treasurer	\$ 10 00
W. W. Brooks, selectman	68 59
Napoleon John, selectman	59 00
Perry Ball, selectman	48 50
C. P. Bowles, town clerk	20 65
G. S. Judd, collector	67 58
E. M. Cooley, health officer	10 00
O. W. Noyes, supervisor two years	8 00
C. P. Bowles , auditor	7 00
G. S. Judd, supervisor	6 00
G. W. Stimpson, dog constable	5 00
W. P. Ball, police officer	3 00
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Total	\$313 32

## MISCELLANEOUS

D. A. Drew, work in cemetery	\$ 6 00
Harry L. Heald, lawyer	79 04
Courier Printing Company	21 96
W. I. Richardson, Easton and Lisbon line	3 50
C. P. Bowles, postage and stationery	60
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Total	\$111 10

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

W. D. Brooks, road agent, town road	\$ 568 45
W. D. Brooks, special agent, State main- tenance	396 00

W. D. Brooks, special agent, State aid	821 04
Tilden Day, road agent, town road	198 75
Tilden Day, special agent, joint highway fund	712 00
Elmore Whipple, building cement bridge	300 00
C. A. Young, bridge plank	87 44
J. B. Davis, breaking road	10 40
Joshua Nutter, bridge plank and work	3 36
Mrs. A. M. Ball, water tub	3 00

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Total	\$3,100 44
Total receipts	\$ 6,518 09
Total payments	6,391 12

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In hands of treasurer	\$126 97
Reported by treasurer as balance on hand	\$310 28

C. P. BOWLES, Auditor.

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#### BOUNTIES PAID BY STATE IN TOWN IN 1919

One bear, \$5.00, and 57 hedgehogs	\$ 11 40
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#### TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Automobile permits issued	1
Deaths recorded	3
Marriages recorded	1
Dogs licensed	21



## Road Agents' Report

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W. D. BROOKS, Road Agent  
(Town Road)

Total receipts \$ 568 45

### DISBURSEMENTS

Plank	\$ 35 00	
Ben Bowles	28 00	
E. A. Bowles	42 00	
C. N. Judd	66 00	
C. M. Glover	46 50	
E. S. Hersey	21 00	
C. S. Thayer	6 00	
Lyle Brown	7 50	
Dan Bowles	45 00	
O. E. Judd	12 50	
H. L. Dodge	12 00	
Roy Judd	3 00	
Frank Locke	3 00	
W. W. Brooks	2 00	
O. E. Noyes	3 00	
C. P. Bowles	3 30	
Parker-Young Company	8 00	
E. E. Brown	7 00	
W. D. Brooks	217 65	
Total	<hr/>	\$568 45

W. D. BROOKS, SPECIAL AGENT  
(State Aid)

Total receipts \$ 821 04

## DISBURSEMENTS

Ben Bowles	\$ 63 00	
Dan Bowles	67 50	
C. N. Judd	65 25	
Clayton Glover	47 25	
John Pease	35 25	
W. W. Brooks	94 50	
E. A. Bowles	108 00	
H. L. Dodge	111 75	
Melvin Bowles	42 00	
Lyle Brown	40 50	
W. D. Brooks	146 04	
Total	<hr/>	\$821 04

## W. D. BROOKS, AGENT

## (State Maintenance)

Total receipts \$ 396 00

## DISBURSEMENTS

Ben Bowles	\$ 13 50	
Dan Bowles	46 50	
C. N. Judd	47 25	
C. M. Glover	39 00	
John Pease	3 00	
W. W. Brooks	12 00	
E. A. Bowles	27 00	
H. L. Dodge	10 50	
Melvin Bowles	6 00	
Lyle Brown	10 50	
Frank Locke	1 50	
Everett Hersey	12 00	
C. L. Thayer	6 00	
W. D. Brooks	161 25	
Total	<hr/>	\$396 00

## TILDEN DAY, ROAD AGENT

## (Town Road)

Total receipts \$ 198 75



## DISBURSEMENTS

Perley Farrington	\$ 34 50	
Murdock Ashe	9 00	
Lester Farrington	21 00	
Robert Warcup	7 50	
Wilder Tyler	12 00	
George Stimpson	3 00	
Joseph Street	4 50	
Tilden Day, agent	107 25	
Total	<hr/>	\$198 75

## TILDEN DAY, SPECIAL AGENT

## (Joint Highway Fund)

Total receipts \$ 712 00

## DISBURSEMENTS

A. T. Young	\$ 115 50	
Perley Farrington	70 50	
Lester Farrington	28 50	
Murdock Ashe	87 00	
Robert Warcup	4 50	
Joseph Street	6 00	
George Stimpson	52 50	
W. P. Ball	25 50	
Napoleon John	9 00	
O. W. Noyes	18 00	
C. W. Morse	10 50	
Roscoe Young	18 00	
Tilden Day	266 50	
Total	<hr/>	\$712 00

# School Report

AUGUST 31, 1918, TO AUGUST 31, 1919

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At school meeting in April, 1919, the district voted for the year beginning September 1, 1919, \$1,104.00.

Elected L. M. Dodge to fill vacancy of two years on School Board, and Sadie O. Glover for three years. C. A. Young was elected district clerk and E. M. Cooley treasurer.

August 15, 1919, at a special meeting, it was voted to pay deficit, \$300.00. Voted to have hard wood floors, new desks and chairs, and to put a cement banking around the schoolhouse. Materials and work for all this amounted to \$425.18.

We had 36 weeks of school in No. 1 last year, and 11 weeks in No. 2. Then the schools were so small we combined the two, and transported the far away scholars. The janitor work is performed by a pupil at 50 cents a week. Our total receipts for the last school year were \$979.17, and the total expenditures were \$977.17, leaving in the treasury \$2.00, besides the \$1,104.00 for the school year beginning September 1, 1919, and due from the town the 1919 dog licenses of \$40.50. This year we have a share in a superintendent, which will add largely to our expenses. We had in September, 1919, 18 resident scholars. For the fall term of 14 weeks, we paid:

Teacher's salary	\$ 210 00
Transportation of pupils	131 20
Janitor's services	7 00
Wood	45 00



Books and supplies bought by superintendent 39 36

Total \$432 56

KATHERINE L. BOWLES,  
Chairman School Board.

## Library Report

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Our appropriation in 1919 was all expended for books. Our town is small, so, of course is our appropriation, but our library, which now numbers 1,000 volumes of history, biography, travel and fiction, besides poetry and nature studies, is in constant use by a majority of the people. Being kept in the home of the librarian, the people can get books any day in the year, which is convenient for busy people. People realize that they are part owners of the books, and are careful to keep them clean and whole.

KATHERINE L. BOWLES, Librarian.

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Easton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1919

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Condition, No.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married
1919 Aug. 5	Littleton, N. H.	Perley B. Farrington Lena Connery	Easton, N. H. Lisbon, N. H.	26 17	White	Farming Housework	Canaan, N. H. Lisbon, N. H.	John Farrington Annie Dexter Thomas Connery Agustus Wade	Lyme, N. H. Canada 34th, N. H. Magog, P. Q.	Farmer House work Laborer Housewife	1 1	C. W. Wilson Clergyman Littleton, N. H.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. P. BOWLES, Town Clerk.

# Deaths Registered in the Town of Easton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1919.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex, Condition				Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days	Male	Female	Color	Single, Married, Widowed					
1919 Mar. 1	Easton, N. H.	Leroy W. Ball	71	6	4	M	W	W	W	Liveryman	Lisbon Canada	Wolcott, Vt. Easton	Daniel J. Ball	Everline Willey
Apr. 9	"	Mervine U. Lane	"	7	6	"	W	W	S	"	Easton	"	Eri J. Lane	Mamie E. Judd
July 26	Littleton, N. H.	Verne L. Brown	19	8	7	"	W	W	S	Machinist	"	Liverpool, N. S.	Lytle E. Brown	Ella M. Franz

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